Multiplying Fractions

Solve the word problems. Show your work.

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c. ¼ of the garden is used for growing petunias. ¾ of the petunias are pink. What fraction of the garden is pink petunias?

 d. ½ of the people who live in the neighborhood volunteer at the community garden. ½ of those volunteers are teenagers. What fraction of the volunteers are teenagers?

ANSWER KEY

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